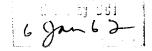
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Dear John:

In Bob's absence, I am responding to your query relative to the Check List prepared each day for the President.

I believe it is of definite value and should be continued. I particularly like the succintness and clarity with which information is reported and evaluated.

Sincerely,

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Honorable John A. McCone Director Central Intelligence Agency

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